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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), Applicant hereby requests a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated June 23, 2003. The amount of the extension fee is \$110.00 The Commissioner is authorized to charge this fee and any additional fees associated with this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0413.

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Respectfully submitted,

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